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In re the Application of: **IKEMASU, et al.**

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For: **SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE HAVING ELECTRICAL CONNECTION
BY SIDE CONTACT (as Amended)**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

March 11, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **December 11, 2002**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title to read

**--SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE HAVING ELECTRICAL CONNECTION BY
SIDE CONTACT--**

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the first line of the specification to read as follows:

This application is a division of prior application Serial No. 08/876,908, filed June 16, 1997,
now U.S. Patent No. 6,344,692.

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